

## REMARKS

Favorable reconsideration of this application in light of the following discussion is respectfully requested.

### **I. The Status of All Claims**

Claims 10-22 are pending in this application. Claims 10-22 stand rejected. Claims 10 and 17 are the only pending independent claims.

The applicant respectfully requests entry of new claims 23-25. The specification fully supports new claims 23-25, for example, at page 3 lines 13-28 and in figures 1-3. Therefore, no new matter has been added.

### **II. Closure**

Should the examiner have any questions, he is urged to contact the undersigned at 703-415-0012.

Respectfully Submitted,

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